

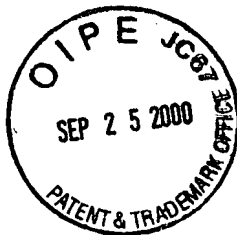
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

JOHN N. FAY

Serial No.: 09/352,107

Filed: 07/14/1999

For: **PROSTHETIC LINER HAVING
LONGITUDINAL INELASTICITY (as
amended)**Art Unit: 3738
Examiner: Willse, D.Box Non-Fee Amendment
Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

- Applicant is an independent inventor. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

(37 C.F.R. 1.8)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Amendment A is being deposited with the United States Postal Service by first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Box Non-Fee Amendment, Hon. Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on September 20, 2000.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

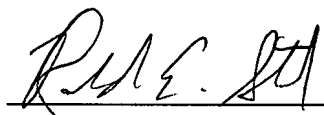
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Total	17	Minus	20	= 0	x \$9 =	\$0
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First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					+ \$130 =	\$0
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No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

5. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 500745.
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